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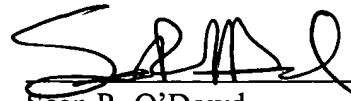
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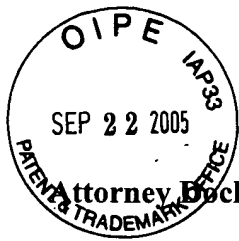
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 5, 2005, Applicants provide the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.